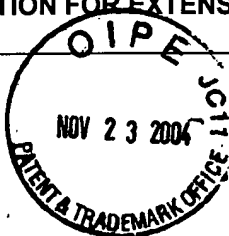


**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

 Docket Number (Optional)  
0123.210US


In re Application of Sun Ai Raillard, et al.

Application Number: 09/502,283

Filed: February 11, 2000

For High Throughput Mass Spectrometry

Group Art Unit 1639

Examiner Jon D. Epperson, Ph.D.

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows  
(check time period desired):

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|-------------------------------------|---|--------|
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))   | \$ 110 |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))  | \$ 430 |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))  | \$ 980 |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))   | \$1530 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))   | \$2080 |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27, therefore the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ _____. |        |

A small entity statement under 37 CFR 1.27:

- ☐ is enclosed.
- ☐ has already been filed in this application.

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-0990. *I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.*

- I am the ☐ assignee of record of the entire interest.
- ☐ applicant.
- ☒ attorney or agent of record.
- ☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a)  
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). \_\_\_\_\_

November 12, 2004  
Date

*Sharon M. Fujita*  
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